IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICATION OF

CONFIRMATION NO. 6067

NABORS, ET AL.

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FOR: HERBICIDAL COMPOSITION

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Sir:

The Office Action mailed on October 16, 2006 has a shortened statutory time set to expire on January 16, 2007. Applicants request an Extension of Time for one month, to and including February 17, 2007 in order to respond to the Office Action.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the Extension fee under 37 CFR § 1.117(a)1 and any additional fees that may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Account No. 50-1676 in the name of Syngenta Crop Protection, Inc.

Respectfully submitted,

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